

MAY 10 2004  
OFFICIAL

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

PTO/S&C/22 (06-03)  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)

291868176US2

In re Application of

Robert W. Betz Jr.

Application Number

09/390,501

Filed

09/03/1999

For

METHODS FOR PLATING SEMICONDUCTOR WORKPIECES  
USING A WORKPIECE-ENGAGING ELECTRODE ASSEMBLY  
WITH SEALING BOOT

Group Art Unit

1753

Examiner

Brian L. Mutschler

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 110
- ☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ 420
- ☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ 950
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$ 1,480
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$ 2,010

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.☒ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0665. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.I am the ☐ applicant/inventor☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/98).

☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration number 38,264.☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a): \_\_\_\_\_.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

May 10, 2004

Date

Signature

206-359-3258

Telephone Number

Paul T. Pagler

Typed or printed name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☒ Total of 1 forms is submitted.